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- 3. (Amended) The <u>asynchronously-accessible</u> storage device of Claim 1, wherein the pipelined mode is an extended data out mode.
- 4. (Amended) The <u>asynchronously-accessible</u> storage device of Claim 1, wherein the burst mode is an extended data out mode.
- 5. (Amended) The <u>asynchronously-accessible</u> storage device of Claim 1, wherein the pipelined/burst mode circuitry includes a <u>buffer</u> [storage device], the <u>buffer</u> [storage device] for storing an address.
- 6. (Amended) The <u>asynchronously-accessible</u> storage device of Claim 5, wherein the pipelined/burst mode circuitry includes at least one counter for incrementing the address.
- 7. (Amended) The <u>asynchronously-accessible</u> storage device of Claim 1, wherein the pipelined/burst mode circuitry is coupled for receiving an external address.
- 8. (Amended) The [memory] <u>asynchronously-accessible storage</u> device of Claim 7, wherein the pipelined/burst mode circuitry includes a <u>buffer</u> [storage device] for storing the external address.
- 9. (Amended) The <u>asynchronously-accessible</u> storage device of Claim 7, wherein the pipelined/burst mode circuitry includes multiplexed devices for providing an internally generated address to the storage device.

(Amended) A method for accessing a storage device, [the method] comprising [steps of]: receiving a first address to the storage device;
selecting between a burst mode and a pipelined mode of operation of the storage device;
selecting between outputting information from the storage device and inputting information to the storage device;

obtaining a second address to the storage device; [and] accessing a storage element of the storage device using the first address and the second address; <u>and</u> the storage device being asynchronously-accessible in either of the burst mode and the pipelined mode.

34. (Amended) [A method, as in] The method of Claim 33, further comprising [a step of] switching [as] between the burst mode and the pipelined mode.

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(Amended) [A method, as in] The method of Claim 33, wherein the second address is an external

46. (Amended) [Method] <u>A method</u> for accessing several different locations in an asynchronously-accessible memory device, [the method] comprising [steps of]:

providing a new external address for every access associated with asynchronously accessing the asynchronously-accessible memory device while in the [first] burst mode of operation;

switching modes to a [second] pipelined mode of operation;

selecting a [first] burst mode of operation;

providing an initial external address associated with asynchronously accessing the <u>asynchronously-accessible memory</u> device in the [second] <u>pipelined</u> mode of operation; and

generating at least one subsequent internal address patterned after the initial external address while in the [second] pipelined mode of operation

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(Amended) A system comprising:

a microprocessor;

a memory, coupled to the microprocessor, for operating in burst or pipelined modes, wherein the memory is an asynchronous dynamic random access memory; and

a system clock coupled to the microprocessor[,]

[the memory not operating directly off the system clock].--